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TOSHIYUKI NAKAGAWA

Application No.: 09/537,291

Filed: March 29, 2000

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS

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Group Art Unit: 2133

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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INDEP. CLAIMS	* 4	MINUS	***	= 0	x \$43 \$86	\$ 0		
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	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.						
X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.						
	Respectfully submitted,						

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 4, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The claims changes are reflected in the listing that begins at page 2, and the Remarks begin at page 8.

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